

Finally - Elkton AutumnFest time this Labor Day weekend!

By AMY HEIDEN

Before the countryside settles into fall colors, before the harvest starts and before the football and basketball seasons get completely underway, there's one more big party to attend.

And that's Elkton's Autumn-Fest, set this Saturday through Monday, Sept. 3-5.

There's plenty to do all weekend long, according to Elkton Chamber of Commerce organizers.

The fun begins on Saturday as the flea market begins

at 8 a.m. in Ackerman Park. The Huron Youth Center's 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament and Shoot-out begins downtown and goes all day long.

At 10 a.m., the Elkton United Methodist Women will begin serving delicious fruit pies, both whole and by the slice, at the Elkton Civic Center.

You can enjoy that pie while waiting for the 1994 Elkton Teen Queen to be crowned by 1993 Queen Dawn Stuart at the Village Hall at 10:30 a.m., and the winner and her

court will be featured in the Grand Parade.

The parade gets underway at 11 a.m., traveling through downtown Elkton. Grand Marshals for the parade are Walt and Carole Forster.

Following the parade, the Elkton-Oliver Township Fire Department and the Chamber of Commerce will be serving up their famous barbecued chicken dinners at the fire hall.

The Hitching Post Inn will host a beer tent from 12 to 4 p.m. and again from 8 p.m. to midnight, featuring three live bands and plenty of good food.

Over at Ackerman Park, the Huron County Sheriff's Safety Trailer will be on display, and the horseshoe tournament will get started at noon.

The carefully maintained tractors belonging to members of the Thumb Two-Cylinder Club will be on display

all day long, lending a bit of nostalgia to the park. And in the back of the park, the muzzle-loaders will be holding workshops on the art of shooting the black powder guns. The historical log cabin will be from 1 to 9 p.m., too.

Kids will enjoy scooping up lots of candy at the Candy Drop at 1:30 p.m., followed by the popular Kids' Pedal Tractor Pull at the tennis courts at 2 p.m.

Speed enthusiasts will enjoy the chain saw races at 2 p.m. Later, teens are invited to a dance from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Huron Youth Center downtown.

Sunday starts off with the community worship service

at Ackerman Park at 9 a.m., followed by the pancake breakfast. Rev. Deweerd Smith of the Community Wesleyan Church will be the speaker at the worship service.

The popular Auto Show, sponsored by the Thumb Area Antique Auto Club and the Chamber of Commerce, will be at the park until 4 p.m., with plenty of oldies music by Pete "The Cat" Flanders. The muzzle-loaders will have their fun shoot at 10 a.m., and the mud volleyballers should sign up at 11 a.m., with play beginning at noon.

Ron Forster will present a demonstration of dog train-

ing and canine police work at the tennis court at 12:30 p.m., and at 3 p.m., teams from the fire department and Bud's Bar will take to the field for a friendly but competitive game of softball.

The Annual Robert Dubey Invitational Golf Tournament is set for Monday at Century Oaks Golf Course. At Ackerman Park, there will be a 3-on-3 soccer game, with registration at 9 a.m. and the game set for 10 a.m.

The Elkton Lions Club will also announce the winner of their hand-built storage shed and playhouse.

For more information, call 375-2780.



1993 ELKTON AUTUMNFEST TEEN QUEEN Dawn Stuart, right, was crowned a year ago, and she'll give up her reign this weekend. With her is First Runner-Up Janelle Wiederhold, on left.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

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Meet Elkton's Teen Queens!

Candy Wineman is the daughter of John and Trina Mosack, and is sponsored by Tom Thumb Market.

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Elkton Missionary Church celebrates 100 years

By AMY HEIDEN

The Thumb Area is known for its solid, stable churches — and one of them is celebrating its 100th birthday this weekend.

The Elkton Missionary Church will hold its Centennial celebration — and the 25th Anniversary of the merging of Bethany United Methodist Church, Elkton, Colfax United Missionary Church,

and Elkton Missionary Church in 1969.

This Saturday, Sept. 3 from 1 to 6 p.m., the church's members will host an open house featuring a time-line display, a video presentation of historical pictures, a display commemorating the Willow Bush experience of J.E. Ramseyer and time to visit with old friends.

Then this Sunday, Sept. 4

at 10:30 a.m., a Praise and Memories Service will be conducted featuring several previous pastors.

Following a catered dinner at noon, the Centennial Celebration Service will be held at 2 p.m. at the church, with Dr. Wes Gerig from the former Fort Wayne Bible College, now part of Taylor University, as the keynote speaker. Theme for the Centennial

was taken from the old hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past, Our Hope for Years to Come."

Elkton Missionary Church can boast a membership of 85 people, but attendance is much higher, averaging around 120 each Sunday, Salsbury says.

More than 100 years ago, a tiny little church built at the corner of Berne and Elkton

Roads was dedicated to the service of the Lord, church records recall.

That little church was built on a plot belonging to J.E. Ramseyer. John Gascho, a member of the church who was a stonemason and carpenter, headed up the construction crew which included members and friends of the church.

And on Sept. 20, 1894, the church which served as the basis for the current Elkton Missionary Church was formally dedicated.

Pastored now by Rev. Larry Salsbury, the church was dedicated by the Defenseless Mennonites.

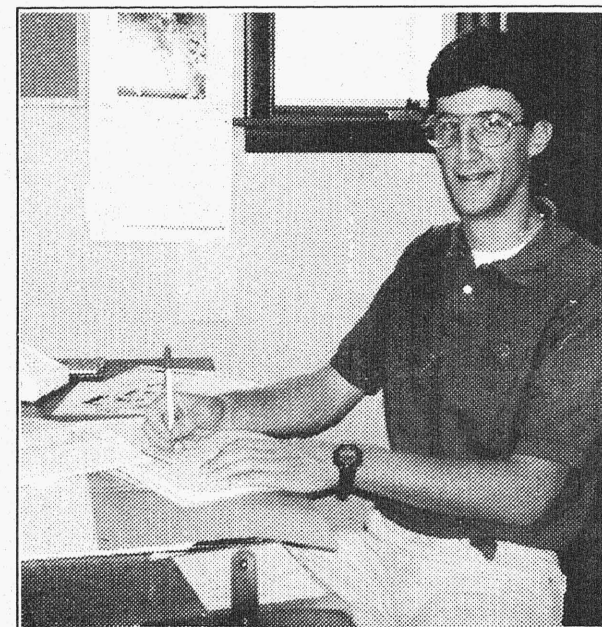
At the same time, two other churches started in the area, which were Mennonite

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ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH Pastor Larry Salsbury shows the sanctuary. An open house is offered this Saturday from 1 to 6 p.m., and a Praise and Memories Service will be conducted Sunday at 10:30 a.m. AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

New youth pastor at Missionary Church



BRENT KRIESCH at work at his new job at Elkton Missionary Church.

In starting its second century of ministering to the community, the Elkton Missionary Church has focused on youth ministry. And to help with that new focus, Brent Kriesch has joined the church as the new Pastor of Youth and Education.

A graduate of Asbury College in Kentucky, where he majored in education, Kriesch comes to Elkton fresh from a stint at Bay Shore Camp in Sebawaing. There he was a part of the camp's staff, serving as night watchman, running the bookstore — and as simply the "jack-of-all-trades," as he puts it.

Kriesch is a native of Lexington, where his father pastors a United Methodist Church. The elder Kriesch became a pastor only four years ago, after a career teaching school in Memphis.

Serving as a youth pastor is a special calling for Brent Kriesch, he says.

"I want to be a good servant for the people and set a good example and simply be there for them," he says. "I would like to build a fun environment so that the kids can learn what it means to be a Christian and have a deeper relationship with Christ."

— By AMY HEIDEN

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HUNDREDS OF FOLKS watched Elkton's big parade last year, and kids enjoyed free candy treats throughout...

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Brethren in Christ, the Colfax Missionary Church and the Bethany Missionary Church in Elkton.

The founding family of the Colfax church was Rev. B. Kreutziger, ancestor of Helen Shupe, Theatta Picklo and Marylyn Janowiak.

Founding pastor of the Bethany church, then United Brethren in Christ, was O.B. Snyder.

He began meeting in homes and the church was built in the fall of 1907 under the ministry of W. Williams.

In 1969, the three churches merged when the Missionary Church Association and the United Missionary Church denominations merged. The congregations all used the present building with the Elkton Missionary Church name, under the ministry of Rev. Ray Smith.

Over the years, many improvements have been finished, and in 1972, the present

church design was dedicated. In the past decade, new windows, sound system and a new parsonage was built. Recently, a home in Elkton was donated for the use of the new youth pastor.

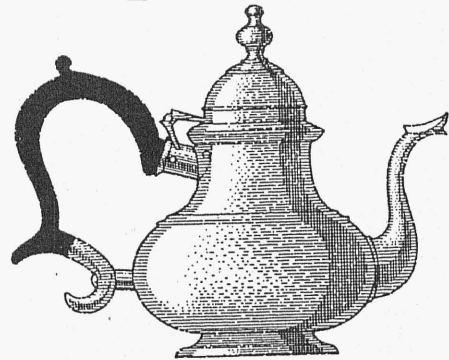
The congregation hopes

to expand the church building further, with addition of a multi-purpose facility, which will house a combination fellowship hall-gymnasium, more classrooms, pastor's office and kitchen facilities.

More than \$75,000 has been raised for construction, but that's about half of what will be needed, Rev. Salsbury says.

The public is invited to either of the Centennial services, he adds.

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	FY 1993-4	FY 1992-3
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Boy Scouts.....	486	
Lakers Band.....	300	
Cub Scouts.....	36	136
Care and Share.....	350	430
Huron County K.A.D. Program.....	200	164
Elkton Civic Center.....	500	500
Laker Scholarship Fund.....	1000	1000
Community Christmas Program.....	300	300
Glasses and Eye Exams.....	135	479
Huron County Hockey Assn.....	250	
Mich. Lions All State Band.....	40	40
Lions Diabetes Project.....	40	40
Lions Drug Awareness.....	40	40
Lions Club Hearing & Sight Projects.....	40	40
Leader Dog.....	1300	1300
Mich. Eye Bank & Research Center.....	350	350
Welcome Home for the Blind.....	200	200
Huron Youth Center.....	200	200
Little League.....	275	
Lions Club Int. Fund.....	440	40
Elkton Lioness Club Projects.....	500	500
Thumb Industries Walk-A-Thon.....	25	
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AUTUMNFEST AUTO SHOW organizer Arnie Russell stands with Ken Thumme and Thumme's 1955 Ford Victoria, which will be on display during Sunday's auto show. AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

Enjoy great cars Sunday in Elkton

Americans have a love affair going with cars, and some of the most passionate affairs are with antique cars. You can indulge that passion at the 8th annual Antique Auto Show during the Elkton AutumnFest, set for Sunday, Sept. 4 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Ackerman Park. The show is sponsored by the Thumb Area Antique Auto Club and the Elkton Chamber of Commerce. Organizers Burt Pawlowski and Arnie Russell say that over 200 cars of all ages, sizes and colors will be on hand for the popular show. There's no entry fee for the show, they say, and dash plaques will be awarded to the first 200 entrants. DeeJay Pete "The Cat" Flanders will crank out the 50's and 60's music and door prizes will be given away.

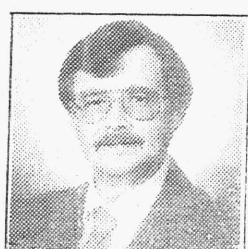


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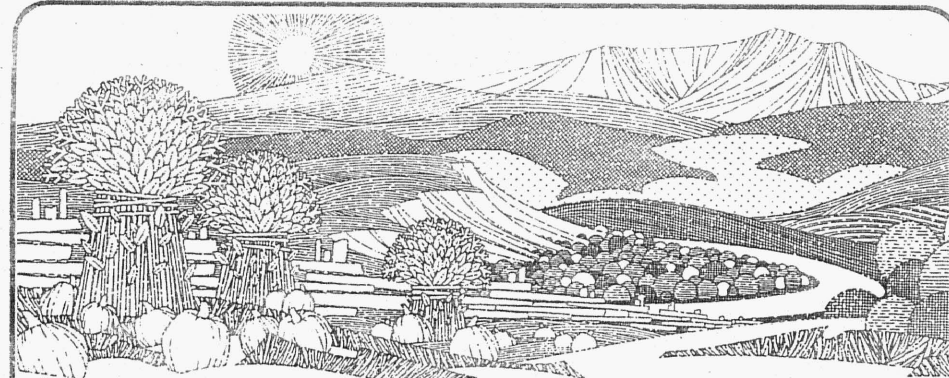
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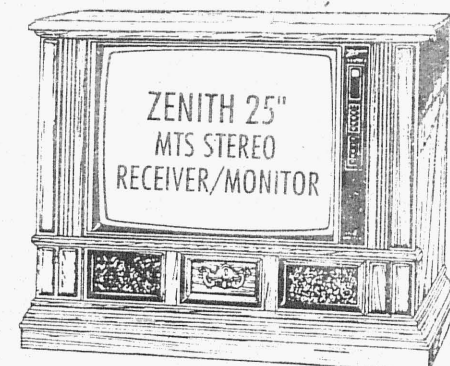
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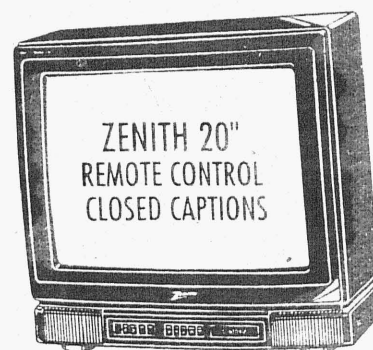


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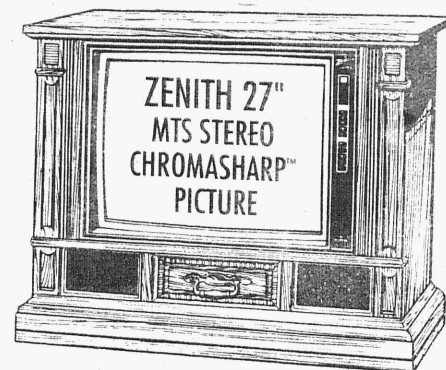
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Muzzle-loaders invited to 'Fun Shoot' at Elkton this weekend

By AMY HEIDEN

The first gathering of muzzle-loading enthusiasts during Elkton's AutumnFest back in 1990 was a relatively small gathering, using a small range to test their shooting skills.

But now, the fourth annual AutumnFest Fun Shoot has grown to include shooters from as far away as Alpena and Caylord, shooting on a range in Ackerman Park that is now fully back-stopped.

Burt Furness and Randy Haley, two local muzzle-loader aficionados who have organized the shoot the past three years, are again in charge of the Fun Shoot.

Saturday will be spent sighting in the guns, and

shooters can indulge in a few grudge matches if they choose, the men say.

Then on Sunday, the muzzle-loaders will hold their fun shoot at 10 a.m., and a team shoot at 1 p.m.

The shooters will be vying for prizes handmade by Furness and Haley, such as shooting boxes, tomahawks, hunting knives and canteens. A pencil sketch of an Indian will be raffled off, also.

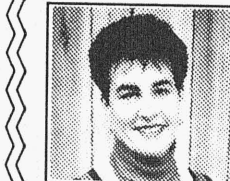
Many of the shooters will be dressed in pre-1840s buckskins and other attire, to give visitors a glimpse of the past, Furness says.

While in past years several



BURT FURNESS, dressed in authentic garb, shows one of the Lucky Blinds and a handmade shooting box that will be awarded as prizes during the Muzzle-loaders' Fun Shoot during AutumnFest. AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

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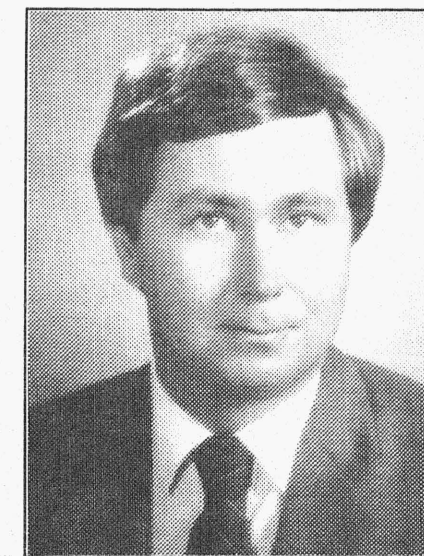
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Beer Tent - Hitching Post Inn
Chicken BBQ - Elkton Chamber & Firemen
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Horseshoe Tournament
Muzzle Loader Work Shop
Log Cabin Open
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th

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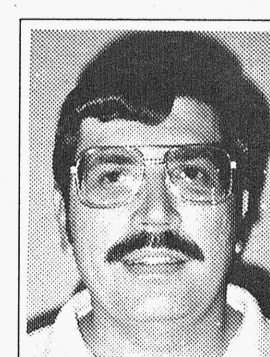
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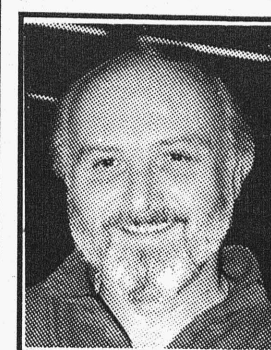
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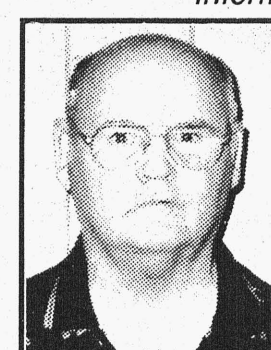
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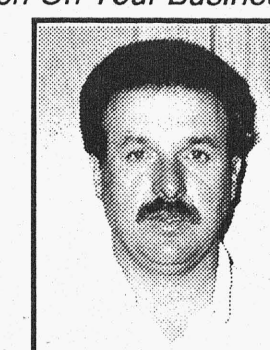
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75 YEARS AGO AUG. 29, 1919

It would be a welcome piece of news to hear of someone who would open an attractive lunchroom, if not a restaurant.

John C. Liken was taken very sick last Friday and has been very low since. His daughter, Mrs. Kemp, has been with him part of the time.

Mrs. Bratschi who has been conducting the restaurant here for nearly two years is closing up the business this week and will enter other fields. This leaves Unionville without an eating house.

Roy Farver, who is an engineer on a lake freighter, was home visiting his mother and other folk. A strike among freight handlers gave him the opportunity to come home.

65 YEARS AGO AUG. 30, 1929

Everyone is making the best possible use of the few remaining days of the summer vacation period. Motoring, roasts, swimming parties, picnics and visiting are the most popular pastimes.

Louis Causley intends to work for Clare Thomas this fall. They will begin to set nets Monday.

A very enjoyable day was afforded a party of over 20 last Saturday when Mr. and Mrs. Clare Thomas were host and hostess for a yachting party to Bay City to attend the Water Carnival.

The large dredge machine began work Monday in the center of town at Memorial Park. It is said the pavement for the two main blocks will be completed and ready for use in about eight weeks.

55 YEARS AGO SEPT. 1, 1939

William Hageman is recovering from the effects of having a barb from a piece of barley in his eye while threshing.

Mrs. Ruth Werth, Marie Werth and Virginia Czernik spent Friday in Detroit. The new garage on the Carl Wilcox farm is completed and presents a very neat appearance.

Unionville musicians who will play in the band concert scheduled for Friday at Sebewaing, include Oscar Graf, Viola Graf, Don Graf, George Bitzer, Teddy Schmidt and Richard Ode.

45 YEARS AGO AUG. 19, 1949

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baur of Kalamazoo, Tuesday, Aug. 16, a daughter, Diane Lynn. Mrs. Baur is the former Elsie Kruse.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Otto of Caro are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Loomis. Mr. Otto will do cement work in this vicinity. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Koepf, Thursday, Aug. 11, a daughter, Nancy Kaye.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hessler are making their in the Donald Luther home, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Iler.

August Collier, fireman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collier of Unionville, is serving aboard the destroyer USS Hyman with the Atlantic Fleet.

35 YEARS AGO AUG. 20, 1959

Diane Bauer, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bauer is hospitalized, after she tripped over a dog at her home, hitting her head on a rock and causing a concussion.

Karen Sue Markle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Markle, was baptized Sunday at Moravian Church by Rev. R.H. Schulze.

Peter and Paul, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Volk of Akron, made their first communion Sunday at Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church at Sebewaing.

Leland Armbruster's boat and motor store was robbed last Thursday or early Friday morning of \$1,300 in stock.

25 YEARS AGO AUG. 21, 1969

A daughter Diane Marie was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schmuck Friday.

AB Michael McLaren joined the Air Force July 28 and is taking his training at Lackland Air Force Base in

Texas. Robert Roller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roller, is completing a 10-week project as a National Science Foundation scholarship winner at the University of Arizona, Tucson.

15 YEARS AGO AUG. 30, 1979

USA Varsity Girls' Basketball Team includes Sue Gangler, Pam Schaus, Candy Nusz, Kim Adam, Gloria Ver-

meersch, Beth Butterfield, Ann Treiber, Jan Tietz, Doreen Kunding, Lynn Gruehn, Lonna Duncel, Tammy Gangler, Sue Engelhardt, Beth Haist, Dawn Engelhardt, coached by Ned Rambo.

Area sugar beet growers learned last Wednesday that there could be a rough road ahead if Congress fails to provide adequate price supports for the domestic industry.

From The Pages Of The Sebewaing Blade

60 YEARS AGO AUG. 24, 1934

(From Arthur Brisbane's column) in Berlin, Herr Goebbels, minister of propaganda, praising Hitler, says that Hitler does not start the day asking "What do leading bankers say?" Rather bankers begin the day asking, "What does Hitler say?"

Goebbels would be surprised to hear how many bankers in this country who once thought they had money, begin the day asking, "What does Roosevelt say?"

Otto Schmidt, Bay Port, was elected commander of Stannitz-Lindeman American Legion Post.

William Arras of Bluffton, OH arrived here to take the position of teacher in New Salem Lutheran School.

50 YEARS AGO AUG. 25, 1944

T-5 Arthur Fuerst, Kilmanagh, entered France with the

U.S. tank forces on D-Day. Mrs. Adolph Wender has

sold her home to Frank Buschbacher and will make her home in Ann Arbor with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Morton. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Heckman have moved here from Ann Arbor. Mr. Heckman is employed at the light plant. Born to Cpl. and Mrs. Arthur Eberlein of Port Townsend, WA, Aug. 18, a son, Michael.

40 YEARS AGO AUG. 26, 1954

Sebewaing Softball League closed its 1954 season with LLL team winning the championship, with a record of 13 wins and 2 losses.

School bells are ringing again, beckoning children back to the classrooms. Open-

ing date for most area schools will be Sept. 8.

At special services Sunday in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Wyman Pape will be installed and Betty Volz will be inducted as teachers at Immanuel School.

Sebewaing combined heavy hitting and steady pitching for a 14-3 victory over Air Base Sunday in Huron County League baseball.

30 YEARS AGO AUG. 27, 1964

Kunisch Clothing will have a grand opening Aug. 27-29, following a remodeling and rebuilding program. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adam, Sebewaing, a daughter, Aug. 24.



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Loren Armbruster, a native of Sebewaing and now director of grower affairs of the Farmers and Manufacturers Beet Sugar Association, was re-elected at the Association's 33rd annual meeting.

From The Pages Of The Pigeon Progress & Elkton Advance

60 YEARS AGO SEPT. 7, 1934

Ervin Doecker purchased Eicher's Cleaning and Pressing establishment in Pigeon, effective Tuesday.

The Lucky, a 125-horsepower fish boat of Gillingham Fish Co., Bay Port, piloted by Elmer "General" Stott, won an easy victory in the fish boat race of the Blue Water Carnival at Port Huron.

50 YEARS AGO SEPT. 8, 1944

A total of 35 Huron County men have made the supreme sacrifice while serving in the U.S. armed forces during the present global war. Those from this area include Marvin Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Schneider, Pigeon;

Charles Botright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Botright, Caseville; William J. Jewell, Anthony Stueck, Owendale; Arnold Stoskopf, son of Rev. and Mrs. Stoskopf, Brookfield; John Roemer, Steve Freihaut, Andrew Hammond, Nicholas Draschil, Sebewaing.

40 YEARS AGO SEPT. 10, 1954

New officers of Pigeon PTA are Alfred Sturm, Mrs. Howard Thompson, Arthur Terrill, William Rogers, Mrs. Russell Tyndall and Milton Kroh.

Mrs. Keith Zook, the former Mildred Troyer of Pigeon, gave birth to quadruplets, three boys and one girl. Two of the boys were stillborn. The father, AIC Keith Zook is serving in Korea.

William Bergman, Pigeon, has been granted a patent on the stone-picking machine he invented.

30 YEARS AGO SEPT. 10, 1964

The 20th annual Fluegge reunion was held Aug. 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fluegge, Owendale, with 83 present. Officers elected were Hilmar Elbing, Herb Fluegge, Mrs. Julius Rother and Otto Fluegge, Jr. Ham, chicken and dressing dinner Sunday, Sept. 13 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Linkville. Adults \$1.50, Children 75¢. Adv.

20 YEARS AGO SEPT. 12, 1974

Cross Lutheran Church will sponsor an Appreciation Dinner Sept. 22 in recognition of Pastor Ernst Henkelmann's 45 years in the ministry, the past 24 1/2 years in Pigeon. Pigeon Junior Woman's

Club donated \$1,072 proceeds from the production "Hello Dolly" toward new Laker High School band uniforms. The check was presented to Laker Band Boosters Club President Ted Leipprandt by Mrs. Clare Swartzendruber, club president.

A new steeple was placed on the Caseville United Methodist Church and dedication was held Sunday. The steel steeple is a replica of the old wooden one.

10 YEARS AGO AUG. 29, 1984

June Kretschmer of Pigeon is a Democratic candidate for one of two available seats on the Michigan State Univer-

sity Board of Trustees.

Bay Port Elementary student Jenny Henne was recently named the state winner in the fourth and fifth grade division of the American Legion Auxiliary Poppy Poster contest. She received a \$30 check for first place and a certificate noting her accomplishment from Helen Strong, Poppy Poster Chairman of the Steele Lambert American Legion Post 533 Auxiliary.

Fishing expert Gary Roach revealed some of the secrets of hooking the elusive walleye in a seminar last Friday. The Minnesota fisherman's appearance was scheduled as part of the Caseville Lindy-Little Joe Walleye tournament that ended last weekend.

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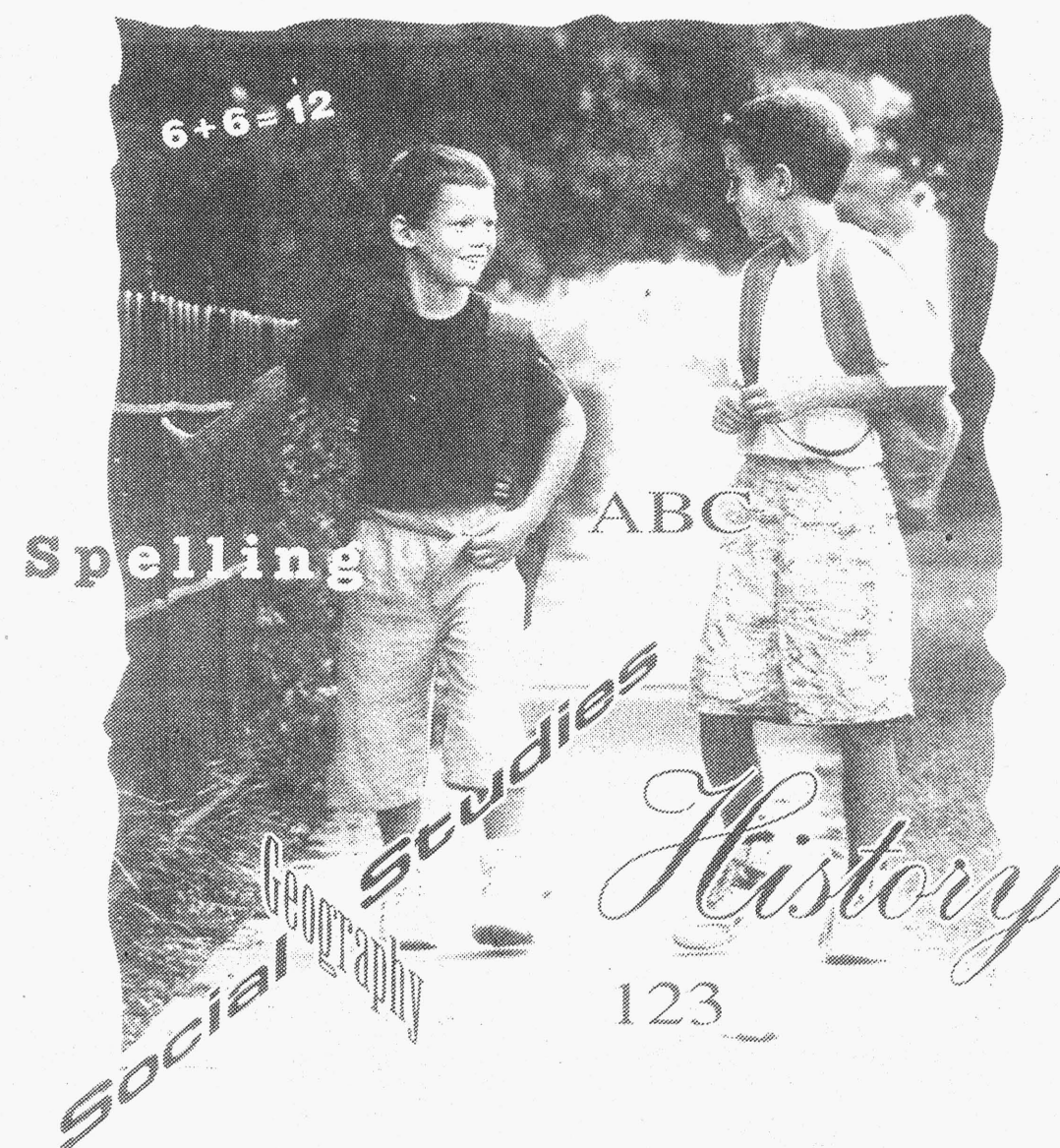
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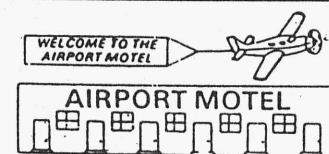
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Recycling workshop

Sept. 19 at Caseville

The Village of Caseville will have the opportunity to share what it has learned and to learn from other communities in the "Clean Michigan Communities" recycling grant program in a workshop set for Monday, Sept. 19 at Mitch's Hidden Harbor, Caseville.

Six communities—including Caseville—were recipients of grant money from the state Department of Natural Resources in setting up community recycling and composting programs.

These workshops will include information about how these communities set up these programs and the lessons learned during the process.

Caseville joined the communities of Buchanan, Escanaba, Isabella County, Royal Oak and Lansing in the

pilot DNR program, which helped them:

- Expand their recycling and composting services to residents and businesses;
- Build recycling processing facilities;
- Develop market arrangements for collected materials and
- Begin recycling and composting education and promotion programs.

The one-day workshops will provide a community starter kit, a resource notebook, handouts, facility tour, lunch and refreshments included in the registration fee.

To register write: Planning & Zoning Center, Inc., 302 S. Waverly, Lansing, MI 48917. For more information, call 886-0555 or 856-2102.

New FFA Alumni Chapter coming to USA

By KRISTIN ZAGATA Reporter

All FFA Alumni, supporters and interested parents and friends are urged to attend the kick-off for a new USA FFA Alumni Chapter on Wednesday, Sept. 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the USA High cafeteria.

Jim Webster, president of the Michigan FFA Alumni Association, is guest speaker.

Goal of the Alumni Chapter is to support and promote the FFA organization and vocational agriculture on local, state and national levels, officials say.

"The community has been very supportive of the USA FFA over the years, and students have benefited greatly from these efforts," says USA FFA Advisor Carl Kieser.

"Initiation of an Alumni Chapter will enhance the efforts to support the student chapter."

Any questions may be directed to Kieser at 883-2534 or Dave Claerhout at 674-2687.

Youth football sign-up Thursday

Pigeon Area youth football registration for ages 8-9 and 10-12 will be Thursday, Sept. 1 at the Pigeon Rec. Park Building, from 5 to 6 p.m.

A registration fee will be payable that day, according to organizer Mike LePage. Half the fee will be refunded after all equipment has been returned.

An alternate date will be set for anyone unable to make the above registration. Details: Call LePage 453-2742.



CONFIRMATION CLASS: Nine students were confirmed in the St. John's Lutheran Church of Berne on May 1.

Front row from left, Joshua Dressler, Joshua Gorseger, Christina Schulze, Angela Roestel, Justin Chioti.

Back row teacher Al Selbig, Michael Strieter, David Stevenson, Pastor Gorseger, Joel Fritz, Nathaniel Schulze and teacher Jonathon Biedenbender. PHOTO FURNISHED

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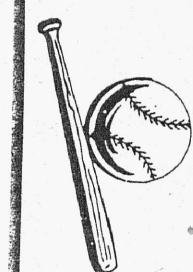
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Successful Pigeon Corn Roast

By SALLY RUMMEL

Pigeon folks are smiling from "ear to ear," following the sweet success of the second annual Sweet Corn Roast on Sunday at the Pigeon Farmers' Market.

Sponsored by the Farmers' Market Committee through the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce, nearly 1,000 people enjoyed Pigeon's own "food court," with local service organizations banding together to provide "fingerfood" meals.

In addition to Wanda Webber's 600 ears of in-the-busk sweet corn, Pigeon Rotary Club sold grilled bratwurst and hot dogs, Pigeon Historical Society quenched diners' thirst with pop and sun tea, Pigeon Worth While Club sold over 120 sloppy joes and Leipprandt Orchards sold their popular Apple De-lites.

The Pigeon Lions Club baked enough goodies to sweeten the pot of the Pigeon Band Shell Entertainment Committee by a \$387.50 donation.

In addition to enjoying the food, people seemed to thrive in the informal atmosphere of the outdoor pavilion, decked out in red and white checkered tablecloths and bales of hay.

Sherry's Dance Studio provided country line dancing to the music of "Gypsy Wind,"

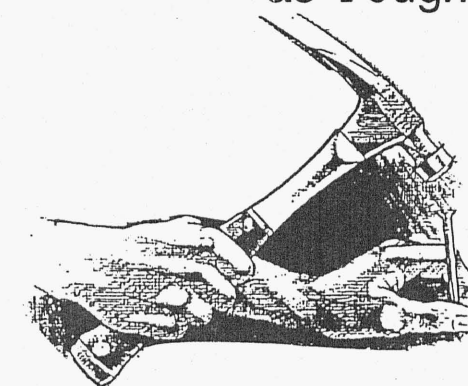
and a children and adults alike enjoyed hayrides, pony rides and old-fashioned games.

Even the threat of potentially bad weather didn't put a damper on the event, as heavy winds and stormy skies turned into a pleasant breeze and a sunny day.

Many of the Corn Roast goes followed the fun to the Band Shell for the final concert of the season—The New Reformation Dixieland Band with Dave Opperman.

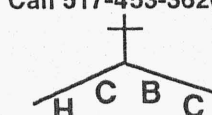
The date has already been set for next year's Corn Roast event—Sunday, Aug. 27, 1995.

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Pastor Rev. Timothy Lowe
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Rev. Paul Stohmann
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Rev. Eugene Andrus
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Thomas Beachy, Pastor
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BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST
Rev. Douglas Leffler
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CASEVILLE UNITED METHODIST
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Rev. James P. Schwandt
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Rev. Douglas Leffler
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KILMANAGH UNITED METHODIST
Rev. Nancy Goings
10:45 am Sunday Worship Service

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Rev. Steven Miller
Worship 10:30 am

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UNITED METHODIST AKRON
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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Lisa McIlvanna
Owendale
11:00 am Sunday Morning Worship

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Rev. Nancy Goings
9:15 am Sunday Worship Service

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Rev. Mark Karls
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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m. & 7 pm - Wed. 7:30 pm

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Pastor Howard Turnbull
Sunday Worship 11:00 am & 7:30 pm

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9:15 am Divine Worship

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COLLING CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
5063 Colling Rd., Unionville • Jerry Wallace, Pastor
Sunday Worship 11:00 am & 6:00 pm

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Rev. Robert Lewis • 665-2635
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PONY LEAGUE League Co-Champions and Tournament Champions (and Sportsmanship Award winners) in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Dodgers Gettel Auto Mail Team:

Front row from left, Chris Phillips, Tyler Story, Eric Weinlander, Steve Koch, Gordon Gremel, Dan Wildner.
Middle row, Nick Johnson, Josh Tietz, Christian Goedel, Robert Nutt, Brad Gruehn, James Rabun, Lucas Bursick.
Back, Coaches Randy Story, Doug Livingston, Terry Gruehn.



PONY LEAGUE League Co-Champions in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Pitchers' Ben Franklin Giants Team:

Front row from left, Billy Hagenow, Jonah Schenberger, Shawn Kish, Troy Elston, Jack Aquilera, Caleb Joles.
Middle row, Sean Squires, Robert Saenz, Shaun Eisengruber, John Schenberger, Steven Hahn, Justin Hornbacher.
Back row, Coaches Dennis Hodder, Andy Kish, Sponsor John Pitcher, Coach Duane Genow.
Missing: Patrick Gregory, Matthew Brooks, Dustin Burgess.



PIGTAIL LEAGUE Champions in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Gettel & Company Team:

Front row from left, Ashley Conden, Kayla Hoffman, Sara Lowthian, Jenny Bitzer, Roseane Hessler, Jessica Carpenter.
Back, Nicole Ertman, Joanna Kemp, Roxane Hessler, Marissa Engelhard, Kali Wissner, Rosalie Burell, Coach Bret Bitzer.
Missing: Brooke Gremel and Coach Tammy Gremel.



GIRLS' FAST PITCH League and Tournament Champions in 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the VFW Team:

Front row from left, Dawn Gallow, Jamie Collon, Kristy Hines, Angie Davila, Jodi Hurd.
Back, Assistant Coach Chad Schember, Coach Andy Davila, Tara Winter, Kim Betson, Linda Davila, Tracey Doud, Leah Collon, sponsor Robert Engelhardt.
Missing: Chris Betson, Rachel Peters, Mandy Deering.



JUNIOR GIRLS Tournament Champions in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Sebewaing Rotary Club Team:

Front row from left, Michelle Pierce, Katie Hagenow, Julie Ewald, Katie Hoese, Allison Hornbacher, Jessica Fiebig, Laura Rabun.
Back, Coach Jodi Bolzman, Brandi Einhardt, Jenny Gremel, Shannon Shafer, Abbey Ewald, Alicia Hagenow, Coach Liz Ewald.
Missing: Becki Neu, Jamie Singer, Darla Allor.



JUNIOR GIRLS League Champions in 1994 Sebewaing Little League with an 8-2 record is the Don's Sports Shop Team:

Front row from left, Angela Ballard, Mindy Tietz, Jenni Kauffold, Trisha Kauffold, Monica Gremel, Ashley Ewald, Jenny Aquilera.
Back, Stephanie Mihacsi, Danielle Sigmund, Nicole Sella, Renee Engelhardt, Angela Sting, Pam Lutz, Kari Harbuck, Coach Linda Engelhardt.
Missing: Erin Ahrens.



LITTLE LEAGUE Season and Tournament Champions in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Sebewaing Lions Club Team:

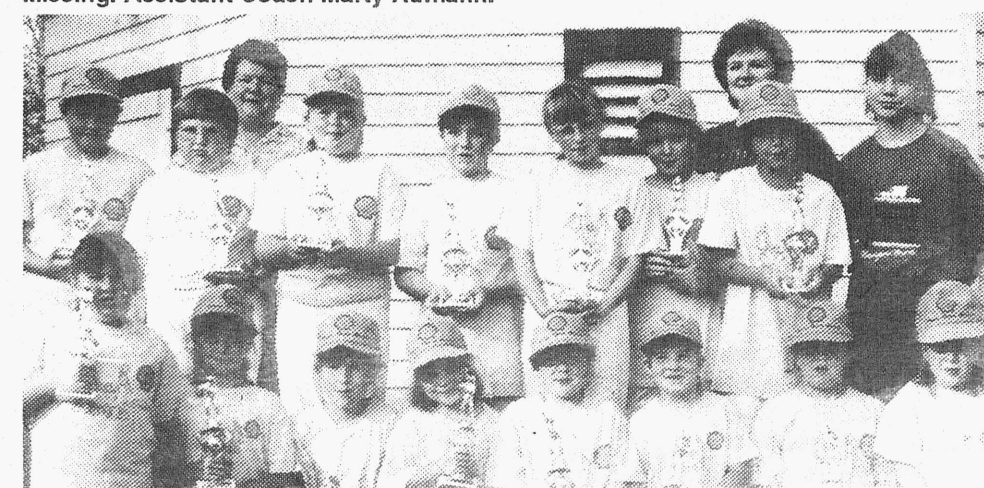
Front row from left, Nick Nguyen, Matt Boucher, David Popp, Troy Genow, Chad Elston, Russ Cohrs.
Back, Coach Brad Haist, Brandon Lopez, Nathan Hornbacher, Chris Conden, Craig Genow, Bryant Haist, Graham Kunisch, Coach Duane Genow.
Missing: John Mannering.

T-Ball champs celebrate season with picnic



LITTLE LEAGUE SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD winners in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the First of America Bank Team:

Front row from left, Jon Arnold, David Sakon, Ryan Goedel, Andy Bloomer, Josh Guillett, Aaron Loeffler.
Back, sponsor Janet Rink, Kirk Dutcher, Jeremy Tietz, Dustin Kuhl, Joey Stoeckle, Coach Al Sakon.
Missing: Assistant Coach Marty Aumann.



PIGTAIL TOURNAMENT Champions in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Peoples Choice Team:

Front row from left, Amanda Powell, Lynda Carter, Megan Winiacki, Katie Stoeckle, Amanda Harbuck, Karla Stoeckle, Alyssa Fritz, Kala Winiacki.
Back row, Coach Deb Stoeckle, Sarah Walz, Kelly Hahn, Kristy Sting, Krista Langdenburg, Jamie Brandenburg, Nicole Koch, Eileen Treder, and Coaches Michelle Harbuck and Pamela Lutz.



PIGTAIL SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD winners in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the State Farm Team:

Front row from left, Mimi Roof, Rachel Roof, Kristin Warack, Stephany Gremel, Brianna Danese, Amanda Rocha.
Back, Coach Connie Bunke, Trisha Emery, Val Irion, Korey Canfield, Jessica Doerr, Jessica Bunke, Jasmine Doerr, Tara Haag, Coach Janet Warack.
Missing: Sarah Walsh, Rachel Walsh.



JUNIOR GIRLS' SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD winners in the 1994 Sebewaing Little League is the Kuhl's Team:

Front row from left, Stacey Gregory, Bree Markle, Lisa Weisenbach, Erika Sakon, Krystan Pierce.
Back, Coach Wendy Orzel, Rebecca Nieschulz, Kristan Geiger, Ashley Bartels, Melissa Jackson, Coach Ed Orzel.
Missing: Victoria Hahn, Diana Dewald, Dana Dressler, Norine Perez.



SEBEWAING LITTLE LEAGUE T-BALL TEAM includes, front row from left, Megan Gremel, Chad Goebel, Cody Kurzer, Amanda Haag, Tommy Claerhout, Christopher Gangler, Jarod Wissner, Danny Kunding, Coach Candy Kurzer.
Missing: Stephanie Hahn, Linsey Sakon, Jenny Faber.



SEBEWAING LITTLE LEAGUE T-BALL TEAM includes, front row from left, Janelle Lupp, Ben Killinger, Cory Thomas, Andrew Theede.
Back, Michelle Wineman, Sarah Squires, Aaron Kuhl, Jordan Bolzman, Melinda Holland, Coach Brenda Kuhl.
Missing: Brian Brandenburg, Justin Prime, Stephanie Reinhardt.



SEBEWAING LITTLE LEAGUE T-BALL TEAM includes, front row from left, Whitney Aguilera, Joshua Nimitz, Jeffrey Bolzman.
Back, Ryan Welchner, Bradley Bolzman, Jordan Finkbeiner, Kelsey Lenz, Coach Tracy Welchner.
Missing: Amanda Linzner, Rachel Finkbeiner, Justin Ondrajka, Aaron Eberlein, Natalie Dutcher, Coach Rita Linzner.

*All photos coordinated
by Liz Ewald*

The Bells Are Ringing!



Honsinger - Anthes

Sarah Lynne Anthes and Michael Wade Honsinger were united in Holy Matrimony on Saturday, June 18, 1994 at Second Presbyterian Church in Saginaw.

Rev. Asa Compton officiated the double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Sharon Voelker of Roswell, NM; Tim Anthes, and stepfather Larry Moss, both of Caseville. Parents of the groom are Barbara and Douglas Honsinger of Saginaw.

Special wedding music was provided by Julie Lightfoot. Trumpet and Saxophone Solos were played by Dan Mills. Solos included "I Swear" and "Now and Forever" sung by Dan Mills; "I Love the Way You Love Me" sung by Brian Tassin; "Ave Maria" sung by Michelle Perko; and "The Lord's Prayer" sung by Julie Lightfoot.

Paula Klosowski of Saginaw was the Maid of honor.

Bridesmaids included Kami Rathje of Pigeon, Sandi Lee of Saginaw, Andrea Fluegge of Almont and Debbie Kluft of Warren.

The flowergirl was Megan Honsinger, niece of the groom. Mark Honsinger of Saginaw stood up for his twin brother as best man.

Groomsmen included John Honsinger of Saginaw, brother of the groom; Jay Anthes of Sterling Hts., brother of the bride; Darren Kalina of Hemlock, Bob Roe of Saginaw, Daryl Lombard of Farmington Hills, J.D. Kaufman of Bay City and Chris Gilbert of Hemlock.

Acolytes were Becky and Robert Lowe of Cass City, cousins of the bride.

The newly weds greeted 300 guests at a reception held at the Bay Road Hall, Saginaw.

Following a honeymoon trip to Mackinac Island, the couple will reside in Saginaw.



Flintoft - Nitz

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sebewaing, was the site of the marriage ceremony uniting Karen Marie Nitz and Michael David Flintoft, both of Caro, on Saturday, May 21, 1994.

Rev. Martin Hagenow officiated at the double ring ceremony for the daughter of Patricia Nitz of Caro, and Mr. and Mrs. James Nitz of Sebewaing, and the son of Ardith Flintoft of Jackson, and the late Harold Flintoft.

Special wedding music was provided by Tamatha Bitzer, cousin of the bride, of Essexville, accompanied by Diane Kuhl of Sebewaing.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride selected a traditional gown of white satin, adorned with iridescent sequins, pearls and lace appliques, cathedral train with lace cutouts and sheer netting inserts.

Her tiara headpiece was fashioned with bead pearls, crystals and sequins and a fingertip veil. Her carried a fresh flower bouquet of white roses and orchids with lace and pearl accents.

Pam (Brandenburg) Pryor of Caro was matron of honor for her friend, wearing an amethyst tea-length gown.

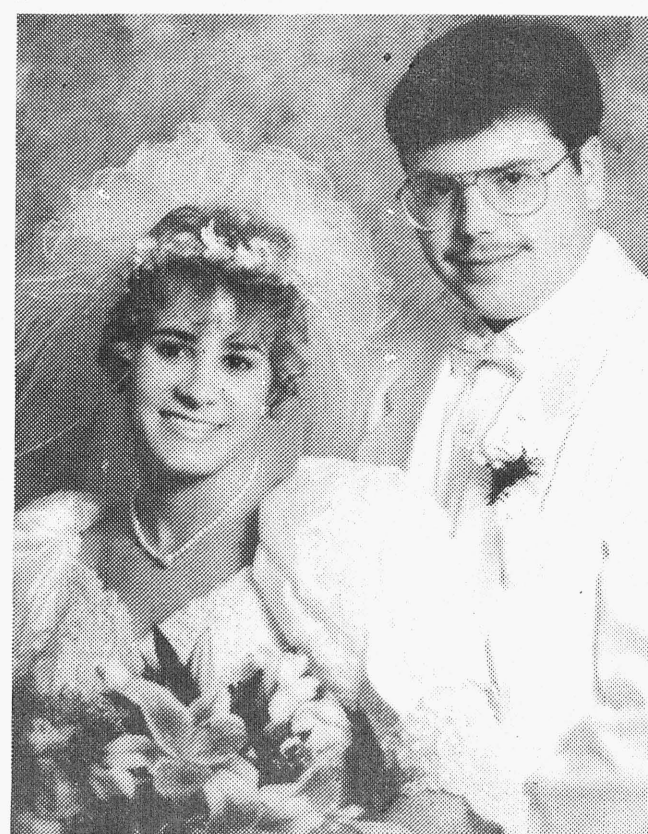
Bridesmaids were Kathy Bradley and Sharon Blovsky, both of Caro, friends of couple; Connie Birchmeier, Flushing, sister of bride; and Angie Flintoft, daughter of groom, all wearing matching gowns in new ruby. Each carried a fresh flower bouquet of roses, carnations and baby's breath. Taylor Nicole Pryor of Caro was flower girl.

Stephen Flintoft of Horton, was best man for his brother, assisted by groomsmen Greg Sparks, Mayville, friend of couple; Tim Flintoft, Caro, son of groom; Dick Birchmeier, Flushing, brother-in-law of bride; Jamie Nitz, Sebewaing, brother of bride.

Seating guests were ushers Brian Flintoft and W. Andy Flintoft, sons of groom, and Jody Nitz and Justin Nitz, brothers of bride.

The newlyweds greeted 300 guests at a reception at Sebewaing Sportsmen's VFW Hall. The bride is the warden's secretary at Saginaw Regional Correctional Facility.

The groom is deputy warden at Corrections Camp Tuscola, Caro. Following a honeymoon to Las Vegas, the couple is making their home in the Caro area.



Kemp - Kelly

Jodi Lea Kelly of Sebewaing and Robert Allen Kemp of Unionville were united in marriage Saturday, May 14, 1994, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Sebewaing.

Rev. Martin Hagenow officiated at the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Kurt and Mary Kelly of Sebewaing. The groom is the son of Lon and Bonnie Kemp of Unionville.

Special music was provided by soloist, Gail Kelly, godmother of the bride, and organist, Sandy Kuhl, friend of the couple.

Greeters at the ceremony were Eric and Audrey Kelly, cousins of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a formal-length gown of white satin. It featured a sweetheart neckline, short puffed sleeves with French bands, fitted bodice smothered in schiffli lace, sequins and seed pearls.

A full skirt trimmed in schiffli lace fell from the basque waist which was graced with a Dior bow with rose center. Three baby bows fell onto her cathedral train.

Her headpiece was a band of seed pearls and miniature flowers with tiered fingertip-length veil. She carried a bouquet of stargazer lilies with white roses accented with greens and baby's breath.

Amy Kuhl was maid of honor for her friend. Bridesmaids were Marc'L Seibel, cousin of the bride; Alishia Bell and Shelly Wright, friends. Their gowns were a fuchsia satin with dropped waist accented with an off-the-shoulder white scalloped collar. They each carried a bouquet of stargazer lilies and baby's breath.

Jenny Faber, cousin of the groom, was the miniature bride. She was dressed in a high empire satin gown with clusters of lace appliques attached to the full ruffled skirt. She carried a miniature bouquet of stargazer lilies.

Eric Kemp was best man for his brother. Groomsmen were Eric Kelly, brother of the bride; Rodney Bell and Jason Kuhl, friends. Aaron Kemp was miniature groom for his brother.

Seating wedding guests were

ushers Joel Gremel and Matthew Bumhoffer, friends.

The bride's mother chose an ivory two-piece suit with lace collar accented with sequins and seed pearls.

The groom's mother chose a fuchsia two-piece dress accented with brocade and seed pearls.

A reception for 325 guests was held at American Legion Hall, Unionville.

The bride is a graduate of St. Clair County Community College and is a nurse at TenderCare in Cass City.

The groom is employed at Jack McCain Plumbing and Heating in Bay Port.

The new couple resides in Unionville.

It's a girl!

Michael and Christine (Diachenko) Bean of Swartz Creek are the proud parents of a daughter, **Tessa Renee**, born Thursday, Aug. 18, 1994.

The newborn weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz. and measured 19 1/2 inches long. She was welcomed home by her sisters, Tammera, age four and Katrina, age two.

Grandparents are Bill Diachenko of Bay Port and Howard and Ellamae Bedford of Pigeon.

Great-grandparents are John and Rhea Christner of Pigeon.

Lake-Chandler

By MILDRED BALLAGH Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Wightman were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Knechtel of Stratford, Ont. and Mrs. Clarence Knechtel of Elkton.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Conkey were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meske of Pt. Hope and daughter, Mary Lou Harris of Detroit, Carol Plaush of Midland; Erma Rochefort of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Don Black of FL.

Mary and Fred Grunert of Three Rivers were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh.



Wojcicki - Bennett

Amy Marie Bennett and David William Wojcicki, both of Pigeon, were united in marriage on June 25, 1994 at Caseville United Methodist Church. Pastor Gregg Mayberry officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of William Bennett, Arab, AL, and Noreen Bennett, Pigeon. The groom is the son of the late Sylvester Wojcicki and Marilyn Wojcicki of Chelsea.

Organist was Nola Kauffman of Elkton. Soloist was Carleen Kauffman of Ludington.

The altar was decorated with pink spray roses, baby's breath, static and greens surrounding the unity candle.

Given in marriage by her father,

the bride wore a white satin and venise lace gown. It had a sweetheart neckline with lace flowers. It had a basque bodice, brief sleeve and a bouffant skirt with a cathedral train. The hemline was accented with scalloped lace.

Her headpiece was a satin band with a satin edged tiered veil. The bride carried a bouquet of pink bridal roses surrounded by baby's breath.

Carleen Kauffman, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and Cristina Kauffman of Elkton, cousin of the bride, was a bridesmaid.

Jon Bentley of Chelsea, friend of the groom, was best man. Matt Villemure of Farmington Hills, friend of the groom, was a

groomsman, and Daniel Bennett of Tuscaloosa, AL, brother of the bride, was an usher.

After the ceremony, a reception was conducted at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Pigeon, for 150 guests attending from New York, Alabama, Minnesota, and all over Michigan.

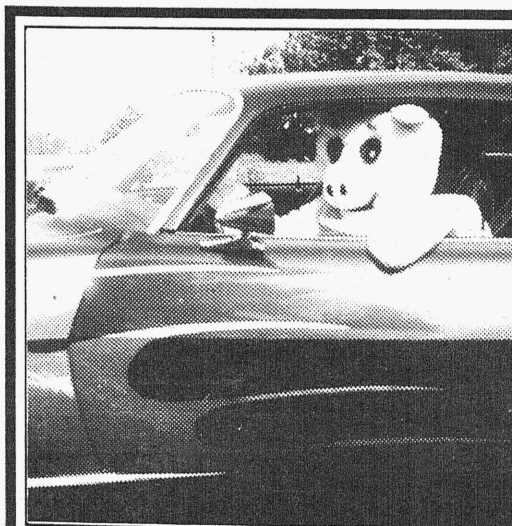
The bride is a substitute teacher in Huron County, and the groom is an elementary school counselor for the Laker School District. The couple resides in Pigeon.

Buffet honors couple recently married

Mark and Laura Gascho Provost of Juliette, GA, married on April 9, were honored guests at a family buffet dinner on Saturday, Aug. 20 at the home of Laura's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh.

Guests were Laura's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gary Gascho and Romulo Menezes of Chula, GA, a graduate student from the University of Georgia at Athens, from Brazil; her grandmother, Vivian Gascho of Whitehall; John Gascho of Atlanta, GA; Fred and Mary Grunert and children Dana and Freddie of Three Rivers; Bill and Jan Ballagh of New Lothrop; Sally Lopez and family, Sonya and Chris of Holt; Bill and Annette Ballagh and daughter Amanda of Stockbridge; Charles and Bea Ellis of Flint and Bill Gotts of Caseville.

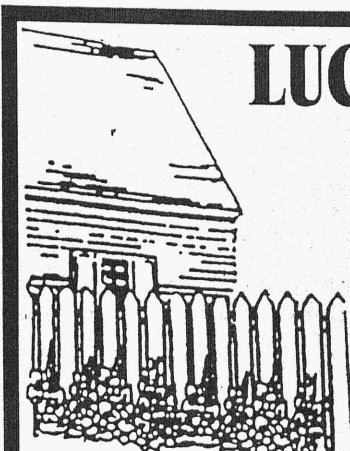
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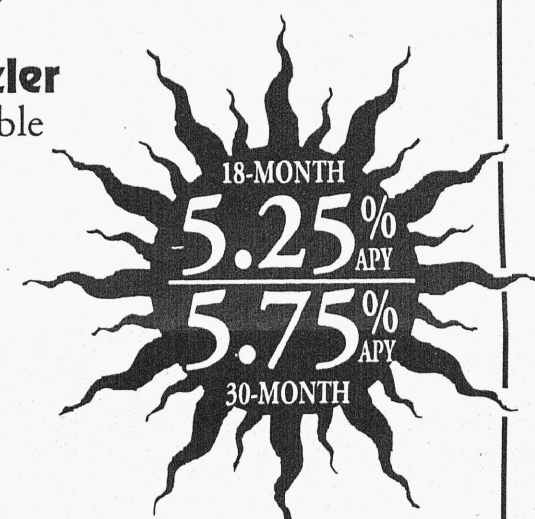


WORKERS WERE BUSY this past week refurbishing the Post Office in Unionville. Clint Wilson and Jim Freeman of D. N. West Enterprises of Flint replaced a section of sidewalk there, as it upgrades several post offices throughout the state. Also included is setting a handicap parking area at the Unionville Post Office. MARY DRIER PHOTO

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Annual meeting for Arts Council

By WALT RUMMEL

About 25 members of Lake Huron Community Arts Council held their second annual meeting Wednesday in Heidelberg Gallery at Sebewaing and reelected the slate of officers by acclamation.

President Timothy Burns conducted the meeting which reelected him for another term, along with Warren Juengel as vice-president, Erma Rummel secretary and Marlene Martin treasurer.

Three additional trustees were added, including Connie Scharich, Mary Kitten-dorf and Joan Champagne.

New by-laws were adopted, designating basic membership policies and affirming the Council's Michigan Non-Profit Corporation status.

President Burns announced program/themes for coming months that include: Quilts for September,

Marsh Madness-October, Veterans-November and Christmas Trees and Decorations for December.

In a discussion of future classes to be taught at the Gallery, Christmas crafts were suggested. There was consideration for a weekend open house or bazaar to market various craft items and other wares.

The financial report showed receipts of \$10,453 and expenditures of \$8,396. Income showed \$4,410 from memberships, \$3059 from shows and \$2,679 from donations.

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Scenic golf news

By MAVIS PECHETTE

When the ladies of Scenic Golf and Country Club and their guests gathered for the annual Fun Day, the circus provided the theme.

Ringmaster Erlene Melisko and her troupe of clowns, Marge Underhill (chairman), Sylvia Kelsey, Loretta Rollo, Jo Herbert, Merrie Watchowski and Grace Janik kept the antics rolling through 18 rings. Several golfers were also in clown costume and many golf carts were turned into circus wagons.

Prizes were given in the following categories: Longest drive on #16-Jeanette Rowe, Closest to line #13-Dody Yahn, Closest to pin #3-Eunice Binder, Low Gross on 9 holes-Rita Gogola,

Low Gross on 18 holes-Donna Griffin, Low putts on 9 holes-Pat Schweitzer, Low putts on 18 holes-Millie Schuette, Low Score on Odd Holes (9)-Lil McLean, Low Score on Odd Holes (18)-Linda DuBois, Best Decorated Cart-Bea Anklaam.

Donna Osentoski and Lois Anderson each had two chip-ins. Others with chip-ins were Rosemary Delmotte, Cozy McCormick, DuBois, Christie Myers, Koz Hoeh, Linda Carman and Cyndy Rathje.

"Share the Wealth" Raffle was held with seven prizes being given and door prizes were distributed. Cards were played and dinner served in the dining room festooned with balloons and other circus trimmings.

Amy Kuhl was maid of honor for her friend. Bridesmaids were Marc'L Seibel, cousin of the bride; Alishia Bell and Shelly Wright, friends. Their gowns were a fuchsia satin with dropped waist accented with an off-the-shoulder white scalloped collar. They each carried a bouquet of stargazer lilies and baby's breath.

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Seating wedding guests were

Baerwolf Auction in Pigeon offered lifetime of special things

By WALT RUMMEL

One of the biggest antique auctions in many a year, possibly ever, in this Area took place in Pigeon Saturday, Aug. 20, to settle the estates of the late Mel and Dorothy Baerwolf.

The couple spent their lives in owning and managing the Polewach Store, so there were many fixtures and store items as well as some real prizes collected in the Baerwolfs' connections with old-time vehicles and musical instruments.

Their son Delton Baerwolf was personal representative. Joining him at the sale was his brother Roger.

The 1913 Model T Ford, restored to excellent condition, brought \$15,000, as the highest single sale. It was purchased by Charles Kirk of Pigeon.

For a 1915 J.I. Case 1/5-scale working model steam traction engine and 1/5-scale Case threshing machine, Lee Smith made the highest bid, \$7,500. The steam engine, with matching wheeled wa-

ter-wagon, was often entered in parades, driven by the late Mel Baerwolf.

The auction was handled by Great Lakes Auction Company, R. Dale Wertz and Associates of Bay Port.

Commercial items from the dry goods and clothing store brought good prices,

and included a Red Goose Clock at \$525, large egg-laying Red Goose \$290, a medium and small-sized cast Red Goose at \$160 and \$20.

A brass cash register from the store brought \$600, a three-legged shoe stool for fitting shoes \$60 and Buster Brown Shoes Plate \$45.

Well-known as a musician and dance band leader, Baerwolf had many musical items, too.

Here are some auction sales: Edison Phonograph \$550,

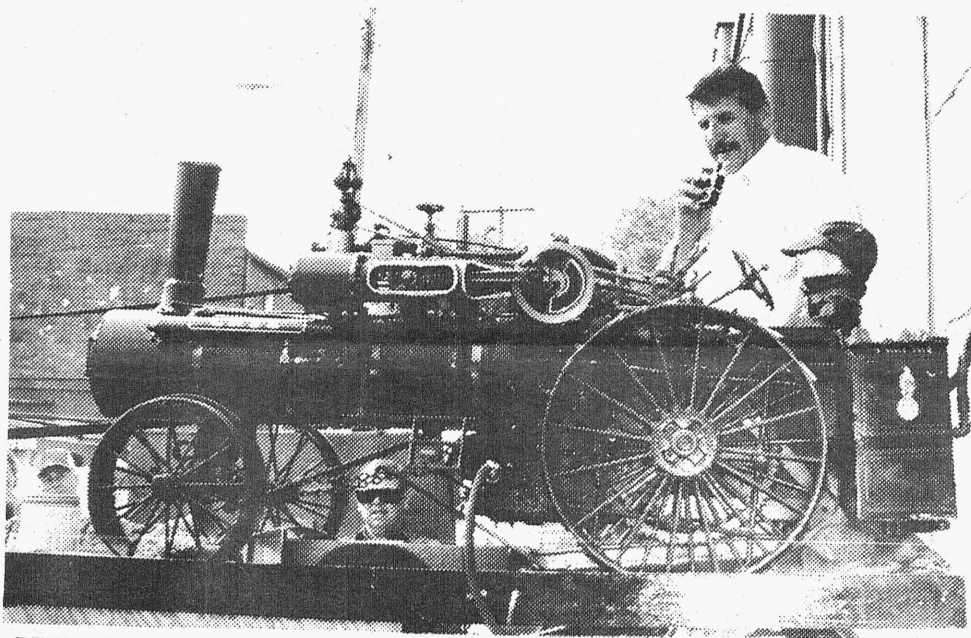
Regina Nickelodeon \$700, four violins sold at \$130 each and a mandolin at \$100.

Personal and home articles, wicker doll stroller \$775, Gilbert Mantle Clock \$100, fainting couch \$400,

clawfoot table \$90, pitcher and bowl \$375, Lee doll \$275, McCalls doll \$120, slot machine \$1500, toy team of horses with wagon \$360, old license plates \$160, \$100 and \$85, red play barn \$150.



BIGGEST SINGLE SALE of all was the fully-restored Model T Ford, which went for \$15,000. It was purchased by Charles Kirk of Pigeon.



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BEFORE AUCTIONING the Case 1/5-scale steam engine, Auctioneer Dale Wertz demonstrated its workability with air pressure. It was deemed too dangerous to heat the boiler and build up steam with so many curious adults and children within reaching distance.

Sebewaing recycling moves ahead

By WALT RUMMEL

Teresa Boesch completed her summer job with Sebewaing Village recycling last Saturday to return to college, and the Council's recycling committee is looking for a replacement.

Anyone interested in that Saturday morning job is invited to contact John Pitcher, committee chairman. Other Council members serving with him are John Schneider and Rod Tietz.

A favorable response was received for curbside recycling in the village survey conducted through the monthly Light and Water Department billing.

Pitcher said 69% of respondents favor curbside recycling, 27% either felt they needed to know about it first

or they opposed it, and 4% are undecided.

"I would like to see recycling contracted here before the state government makes it mandatory, because by then costs will be higher as each community gets into it," he says.

Pitcher has talked with Waste Management and Cove Sanitation, and that estimates now are that monthly prices would be in the \$2.25-2.75 vicinity.

If curbside recycling and pickup were instituted it would be done on the same day as trash pickup. Further, the recycling contractor would instruct and educate residents on how to proceed and how to prepare recyclable materials.

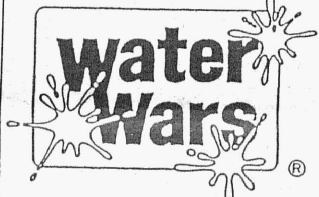
One decision would be whether the contractor would supply the individual residential trash bins or whether villages or home owners would buy them. Some of the recycling bins are made out of recycled materials, Pitcher says.

"Our recycling committee thinks it might be better to start recycling now, while the price is still bearable, rather than to wait until the government makes it mandatory for every town, which would take the contracted price considerably higher," Pitcher says.

Pitcher said he and his committee members welcome inquiries and would like to gain a consensus from their conversations.

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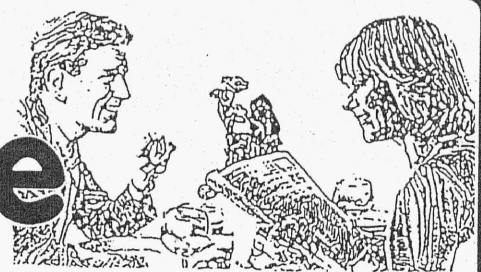
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